Winner of Trophy

Lonnie Reynolds, on the left, of Western Auto Store in Appomattox is shown above presenting trophy to Leonard Garrett, on the right. The trophy was awarded by Western Auto to the person bringing in the turkey with the longest beard. The turkey brought in by Mr. Garrett had an eleven inch beard and that won the trophy for him.

Farmers To Report Fuel Shortages To ASCS Offices

To help assure that farmers don't run short of fuel this season, the U. S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is asking farmers to : Report any shortages to local agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) offices, and use fuel conserving methods with tractors, trucks and other machine-driven equipment.

The Department since February has been monitoring the farm fuel supply situation through its more than 2,800 ASCS county offices. Any shortages are reported immediately through State ASCS Offices in Washington. In addition, a regular farm fuel situation report is prepared for Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz every Wednesday.

Any problems that arise are forwarded immediately to the Office of Oil and Gas (OOG), U. S. Department of the Interior, for solution under the Voluntary Allocation Program. William E. Simon, Chairman of the President's Oil Policy Committee and Deputy Secretary of the Treasury has pointed out that farmers and the food industry have priority in getting petroleum products. To assure continuous coordination with the OOG, ASCS has loaned it a professional employee.

ASCS said some suppliers have not been able to meet farm customers' needs fully. Officials said this is partly because independent and cooperative fuel producers and marketers have not been able to obtain enough supplies.

The current planting period is critical to farm production. Officials involved do follow ups on shortage reports to make certain that corrective action is being taken.

USDA has been working with the Department of Treasury and the Interior to encourage farm fuel conservation practices. Farmers can conserve fuel use by keeping tractors tuned and using minimum tillage practices, for example.

USDA officials also urged farmers not to buy more fuel than they need in the near future. Officials stressed that equitable distribution is necessary if all farmers are to have enough fuel.

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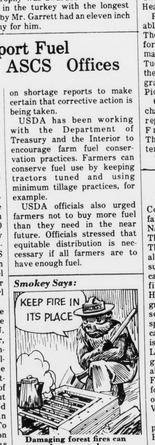

Damaging forest fires can be prevented.

Wreck Island Extension Homemakers Club

Mrs. Lucile Burnett was hostess to the Wreck Island Extension Homemakers' Club when it met at her home on Wed., June 20th, at 1:30 p.m.

There were nine members present and one visitor. Devotions were led by Mrs. Rose Burnett with a reading "If He Came to Your House?";Prayer by Mrs. Elsie Thornhill.

Our president, Mrs. V. A. Staten conducted a business session. She announced the following events and urged participation by the members.

On July 17-19 a "Family Resources Conference" to be held at VPI &SU in Blacksburg. The theme in "Happiness Is, Health? Security?

Restration forms are available at the Extension office. The leader training meeting for the July Extension Homemaker's meeting will be held on Tuesday, July 10, at 10 a.m. in the Extension office. The program for July is "Framing Pictures".

Our Federation program chairman, Mrs. Ruth Carson reported on two books of Gwen Frostic"' which were "For Those Who See", and "Contentate".

The annual Achievement Day was discussed as to where and when the meeting will be held.

Mrs. Becky Johnson presented a demonstration on "Bound Buttonholes".

The Homemaker's Creed was repeated after which the hostess served punch and cookies.

The July meeting will beheld in the home of Mrs. Elsie Thornhill on Wed., July 18th, at 1:30 p.m.

A demonstration on "Framing Pictures will be given by Home Management Leaders.

Mrs. Tilden Lee, Secretary

Mrs. A. J. Zastrow, on the right, presented Real Daughter certificates to Mrs. Marion Tweedy and Mrs. Ethel Childers, new members of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, at their meeting on Thursday evening.

Sherwill 4-H Tours Nature Camp

The members of Sherwill 4-H Community Club and their families were privileged to tour Nature Camp at Vesuvius, Va. Thursday afternoon, June 21. This was the annual Education al Tour for the club and a picnic supper was enjoyed on the camp grounds where the club's first vice-president James Hancock, III, could join the group. He is one of the high school boys and girls now spending two weeks at this camp. The manager of the camp is Col. J. H. Reeves, Jr., of Lexington, Va. and the touring group was most pleased to be able to talk with him and Miss Florence Adams, the librarian for the camp. This camp is owned by the Garden Clubs of Virginia.

A business meeting was presided over by James Hancock, III, at which time it was decided to do a clean-up job for the Sherwill Community Center sometime in July.

Among reports to the club: Ann Muse Evans and James Hancock III had been judged at the Junior Area Contest held May 19 in Farmville. In this contest "Curt" Stone rated a purple ribbon on his illustrated talk entitled "Poisons, Indoors and Outdoors".

Those leaving June 25 for State 4-H Congress at V.P.I. and State University in Blacksburg, Va. are to be Sylvia Carson on her achievement Record in Health; James Hancock, III on his Achievement Record on Bicycle and his illustrated talk in Forestry; Ann Muse Evans, illustrated talk in Light Horse and Pony and Debbie Calohan, in Public Speaking. The last three will be in state competition against winners of the other five districts of our state.

Sherwill Club had a good representation at the County-Wide Electric Work Shop, June 19 - 20. They were Sylvia Carson, Ann Scott Cardwell, Beth Matthew, Charlie Matthew, Larry Calohan, Bill Perrow, and John Cardwell.

Ann Scott Cardwell is taking part in Work-shop on refinishing Antique Trunks - June 19 - 26.

Posters for "June is Dairy Month" are to be judged at V.P.I. and the winner in Campbell County's senior division was James Hancock, III.

Leslie King is taking sewing lessons at Singer in Lynchburg. There are to be eight lessons.

Sherry Pittman, Beth Matthew and Charlie Matthew have recently joined the Sherwill 4-H Club.

Participates In Youth Tour

"Fantastic" — "My, what an opportunity to see my government in action" — "I enjoyed my stay in Washington and only wish that it could have lasted longer". These are just a few of the many sayings, not to mention the tears, that passed and flowed back and forth on our journey home. Yes' it was a week of many experiences.

Kenneth "Chip" Jamerson, a student at Appomattox County High School, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Jamerson, was one of the ten Southside Virginia High School students from Southside Electric Cooperative to witness such an experience of the Annual Rural Electric Washington Youth Tour held June 11 through June 14, 1973.

The expense-paid trip started off with a bang. At the State Capitol. Mr. T. Edward Temple, Secretary of Administration — State Government Reorganization, gave us a brief rundown as to how Governor Holton came about organizing the department of the special assistants and directors. We listened to other members on the State staff as well as Earl J. Shiflet, Secretary of Education, before departing for Washington.

On Capitol Hill, we learned about our government in action, as we talked with our Representatives and asked our questions as to what's going on on Capitol Hill.

Each evening brought new entertainment with a boat cruise down the Potomac to "The Happening" (banquet and dance) at the Marriott Motel which both had live bands.

As we covered the sweep of Washington, we witnessed scenes of education as we listened to speeches and joined in singing at the NRECA Youth Day of which 1,000 youths gathered for the rally.

Then there was the trip to the White House where Julie Nixon Eisenhower greeted the youth delegates from twenty-one states and seven foreign countries.

On the go from early morning, until late at night, walking and talking from bus to boat, unfolded our many experiences.

This was truly a trip of a time for all those who attended and as one said, "It was worthwhile and meaningful to each of us and I doubt seriously if anyone ever forgets it."

JAMES BURCHER JOINS NAVY

James Leon Burcher of Route 4, Appomattox was enlisted into the Navy on the 13th of June, 1973. James is a 1972 graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Burcher of Appomattox.

James enlisted under the Navy's Seafarrer, Airman Program, and will get his recruit training at Orlando, Fla. for seven weeks before his initial assignment.

James says he is looking forward to traveling in the navy and meeting people.

To Participate In New Life Crusade

THE SHORB BROTHERS, and they are really brothers, will participate in the New Life Crusade tonight (Thursday) at Rustburg High School.

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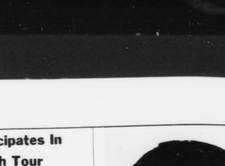

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Rescue Squad Elects Officers

At a picnic held recently by the Concord Rescue Squad at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burrell, officers for the new year were elected.

The new officers shown above are: front row, left to right, Wayne Lankford, Captain; Calvin Collins, 1st Lieutenant; and Bill Mann, 2nd Lieutenant; on the back row, left to right, are Ray Smith, Communications Officer; Lawrence Hamlett, Membership Chairman; Cecil Jones, Treasurer; Jerry French, Assistant Secretary; Reggie Spradlin, President; Buddy Vaughan, Assistant Public Relations Officer; Bob Burrill, Vice President; and Tony Tyree, Public Relations Officer. Officers not pictured are Larry Stallings, Secretary and Fred Roberts, Chaplain.

nswers 28 Calls

ring the month of May the ncord Rescue Squad anwered 28 calls, however only ree were given aid. This ue to 3 stand-bys and 4 lents without personal

lunteers of the squad 150½ hours in answer to calls and the two mbers logged a total of miles.

nsports for general illnesspped May with 6 calls. of these transports ged for 253.6 miles and mbours. Calls for auto nts came next with a of 5 one call each was nded to for a sprain, a ssist dragging, fall, eye mashed thumb, infected d, industrial (construcaccident, motorcycle acminor cut, maternity, poisoning accounted for two calls, 2 stand-by at motorcycle races, auto fire and senior citizens day at Concord rounded out the call at one each.

CLOVER HILL

The Gospel No Names of Pamplin, Va. rendered a program at the Gravel Hill Baptist Church last Sun. night. All who attended really enjoyed the fine singing. The sponsor was Miss Virginia A. Berkley.

Miss Rosetta Berkley of Richmond, Va. spent the weekend here in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Berkley and family of Pamplin, Va.

Last Sunday, Rev. James Miller preached a good sermon at the Gravel Hill Baptist Church in Pamplin, Va. The total for the day was $91.27. A very large crowd attended.

We were glad to know that Mrs. Lucille Walker is doing nicely after a very short illness.

Misses Roxie and Barbarba Flood were the Sunday afternoon guest in the home of Miss Carolyn Berkley.

Master John Robertson III of Prospect, Va. is spending some time in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Louise Gordon and Cousin Ronnie Berkley.

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Landfill Set To Open July 1

The new Appomattox County Sanitary Landfill is set to officially open as of July 1, 1973.

Shown above, left to right, Billy Ferguson, packer-truck operator; Billy Slagle, Landfill Administrator; and Billy Hudson, "dozer" operator took us on a guided tour Monday of this week and explained the rules and regulations for the operation of the landfill.

PAMPLIN

Mrs. C. R. Dickman and daughters, Anita & Cheryl of Rogers, Ark., returned home last Monday after a 3 week visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Inge.

Miss Pam Williams returned home last week after a visit with Mrs. Nancy T. Williams and Emmette in Richmond.

Mr. Willie Powers returned home last Wednesday from Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. Carol Layne and Mr. Thomas Bates are patients in Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. Barry Maxwell received a degree in Business Management from Central Virginia Community College.

Mr. Sterling Davis is a patient in Portsmouth General Hospital, suffering from a heart attack.

The Rev. & Mrs. T. P. Reynolds and family left last Wednesday for South Boston where he will be pastor of McCanless Memorial United Methodist Church.

Mr. Frank Webber has returned to his home after being a patient at Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Collins of Farmville were honored last Sunday at The Farmville United Methodist Church when dedication services were held for the Schulmerich Carrillions, which was presented to the church by Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Collins.

We welcome to our community The Rev. and Mrs. Durwood Fox, pastor of our local United Methodist Churches formerly of the Danville Charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Grammer and Miss Vannie Bell Williams of Richmond visited Mrs. Grammer's sister Mrs. Ada Lucado last weekend.

The Rocks Quartet will give a program next Sunday at Piney Ridge United Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m. following the program a reception will be held in the fellowship hall for their new pastor, The Rev. and Mrs. Durward Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis spent last Sunday in Richmond visiting their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis.

BIRTHDAYS

Harry Eugene Ranson	July 25
Mary Willie Stevens	July 26
Shirley Gryder	July 27
Ann R. Ferguson	July 29
David Almond	July 2
Va. Dare Franklin	July 2
Burley Harris,Jr.	July 2
Lloyd Vaughan	July 2
Hutson Dickerson	July 3
Tony Ferguson	July 5
Boyd Ranson	July 7
Patsy Richardson	July 7
Daniel Dickerson	July 8
Sammy Webber	July 8
Jim Frank Ranson	July 9
Tommy Baldwin	July 11
Elsie Ranson	July 16
Walter Shelton	July 16
Fred Robertson	July 16
Rebecca Hudson	July 14
Toby Inge	July 17
James Ryan	July 17
Mrs. Richard Webb,	July 19
Sheri Wilkerson	July 21
Teresa Elliott	July 22
Doris Harvey	July 23
Mrs. Ruth Watson	July 23
Monica Rye	July 27
Carolyn Baldwin	July 28
Mrs. Kate Dinkins	July 30
Tony Mann	July 31

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